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SUBJ: CCD: US-USSR WORKING GROUP ON RADIOLOGICAL WEAPONS/MASS

DESTRUCTION WEAPONS: ROUND TWO: SIXTH MEETING, AUGUST 10,

1977: MESSAGE NO. 10

REF: A. STATE 178687; B. STATE 188103

1. SUMMARY: HEAD OF US DEL (FISHER) HANDED OVER IN THE FORM OF ILLUSTRATIVE ELEMENTS PROPOSED CHANGES TO PARTS OF SOVIET DRAFT RW TEXT. HE DISCUSSED BRIEFLY SUBSTANTIVE CHANGES WHICH WERE CONFINED TO SOVIET TEXT ARTICLES III, IV AND VII, AND IN ADDITION PROPOSED NEW ELEMENT STATING THAT CONVENTION SHOULD NOT LIMIT OR DETRACT FROM OTHER STATED OBLIGATIONS. HE ALSO SAID THAT US SIDE MIGHT HAVE FURTHER COMMENT WITH RESPECT TO SOVIET ARTICLE V, IN PARTICULAR WITH RESPECT TO POSSIBLE ROLE OF CONSULTATIVE COMMITTEE. HEAD OF SOVIET DEL (LIKHACHEV) THANKED US SIDE FOR BUSINESSLIKE, CONCRETE RESPONSE AND SAID
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SOVIET SIDE WOULD STUDY US PROPOSALS AND RESPOND LATER. END

2. FISHER HANDED OVER PROPOSED CHANGES TO PARTS OF SOVIET DRAFT RW TEXT. CHANGES WERE CAST INFORM OF ELEMENTS, EACH ELEMENT CORRESPONDING TO SOVIET ARTICLE, ON AD REFERENDUM BASIS TO GOVERNMENTS.

3. NO CHANGES WERE INTRODUCED AT THIS TIME TO PREAMBLE, SOVIET ART I, PARA 1, AND SOVIET ART II. WITH RESPECT TO LATTER TWO, FISHER SAID US WAS STILL STUDYING THE ISSUES. LARGE MAJOIRITY OF CHANGES INTRODUCED WERE LINGUISTIC AND NON-SUBSTANTIVE. SUBSTANTIVE CHANGES WERE INTRODUCED TO SOVIET TEXT ARTICLES III, IV AND VII, AND NEW ELEMENT ADDED.

4. US ELEMENT 3, SOVIET ARTICLE III. USDEL PROPOSED ADDING PHRASE "FROM RADIOACTIVE DECAY" TO FOLLOW "SOURCES OF RADIATION" AND CHANGED WORDING OF SOVIET TEXT TO TRACK ENMOD ART III, PARA 1 (PARA 3, REFTEL B).

5. US ELEMENT 4, SOVIET ARTICLE 4. USDEL PROPOSED CHANGES TO REFLECT GUIDANCE (PARA 4B, REFTEL A).

6. USDEL INTRODUCED AN ELEMENT FIVE, STATING THAT NOTHING IN THE CONVENTION SHOULD LIMIT OR DETRACT FROM OBLIGATIONS ASSUMED BY STATES UNDER NPT AND GENEVA PROTOCOL, FOLLOWING GUIDANCE (PARA 4C, REFTEL A).

7. US ELEMENT 8, SOVIET ARTICLE 7. USDEL PROPOSED STANDARD WITHDRAWAL CLAUSE AS PARA 2.

8. US ELEMENT 6, SOVIET ARTICLE 5. FISHER STATED US SIDE MAY HAVE FURTHER OBSERVATIONS TO MAKE ON THIS ELEMENT;IN PARTICULARWITH REFERENCE TO POSSIBLE ROLE OF CONSULTATIVE
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COMMITTEE. HE SAID THIS WAS RELATED TO QUESTION OF SCOPE.

9. LIKHATCHEV THANKED US SIDE FOR BUSINESSLIKE, CONCRETE RESONSE, AND SAID SOVIET SIDE WOULD STUDY US PROPOSALS AND RESPOND LATER.

10. NEXT MEETING TENTATIVELY SET FOR 3:30 PM AUG 12 AT SOVIET MSSION.VANDEN HEUVEL

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